PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of	Docket No: Q69036
Kazuo HIRAGUCHI, et al.	Allowed: November 4, 2005
Appln. No.: 10/088,230	Group Art Unit: 3654
Confirmation No.: 1692	Examiner: Scott J. HAUGLAND
Filed: March 19, 2002	
For: MAGNETIC TAPE CASSETTE	

REQUEST FOR REFUND

MAIL STOP 16
Director of he U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby respectfully requests a refund in the amount of $$800.00. This refund is to be credited to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Applicants previously paid for four independent excess claims (claims 17 and 23-25) on December 17, 2003. Applicants Deposit Account was charge $800.00 on June 22, 2005, for independent excess claims; however, no new independent claims were added to the Amendment filed on June 10, 2005.

A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Allison M. Tulino
Registration No. 48,294

SUGHRUE MION, PLLC
Telephone: (202) 293-7060
Facsimile: (202) 293-7860

WASHINGTON OFFICE
23373
CUSTOMER NUMBER

Date: November 22, 2005

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Kazuo HIRAGUCHI, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/088,230

Confirmation No.: 1692

Filed: March 19, 2002

For: MAGNETIC TAPE CASSETTE

Docket No: Q69036

Group Art Unit: 3654

Examiner: Scott J. HAUGLAND

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 10, 2005, please amend the above-

identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

TABLE OF CONTENTS